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IT SEEMS THAT IN JUST ABOUT EVERY MESSAGE I WRITE FOR THIS JOURNAL, I TELL ABOUT A GREAT MEETING WE HAD RECENTLY. THIS MESSAGE INCLUDES JUST THAT. OUR MEETING AT THE BALTIMORE MUSEUM OF PUBLIC WORKS WAS ANOTHER GREAT ONE. IN ATTENDANCE WERE 23 MEMBERS AND 5 GUESTS. OUR AUCTION INCLUDED CLOSE TO 100 LOTS, GROSSING OVER SIX HUNDRED DOLLARS. IN ADDITION TO DONATIONS FROM PETE BURRIS AND PAGE MANN (THANKS TO BOTH OF THESE MEMBERS), OUR SOCIETY EARNED OVER SIXTY DOLLARS FROM THE AUCTION. THE MEETING, AUCTION, AND GENERAL DISCUSSIONS LASTED OVER THREE HOURS. AND, WE COULD HAVE GONE FOR ANOTHER HOUR IF THE MUSEUM DIDN'T HAVE TO CLOSE.

AS A SPONSORING CLUB FOR THE M.S.N.A. CONVENTION THIS YEAR, MD. TAMS NEEDS YOUR HELP. THE AMOUNT OF DOLLARS TO OUR SOCIETY AS A RESULT OF BEING A SPONSOR HELPS US TO FUND OUR ACTIVITIES AND KEEP DUES AT A REASONABLE LEVEL. GREG RUBY WILL HAVE A LIST OF ASSIGNMENTS TO FILL WHEN WE MEET IN APRIL. ALTHOUGH THE M.S.N.A. SHOW IS NOT UNTIL SEPTEMBER, WE NEED COMMITMENTS NOW. YOUR SOCIETY NEEDS YOUR HELP.

THE SUBJECT OF HAVING A MEMBERSHIP LIST AVAILABLE WAS DISCUSSED AT OUR JANUARY MEETING. IT WAS DECIDED BY THE MEMBERSHIP AFTER MUCH DISCUSSION THAT WE DO NOT WANT TO PUBLISH A MEMBERSHIP LIST.

I WOULD LIKE TO REMIND THOSE WHO HAVE STARTED PAYING LIFE MEMBERSHIP IN INCREMENTS THAT UNTIL THE WHOLE AMOUNT IS PAID, THE PAYMENT OF ANNUAL DUES IS NECESSARY.

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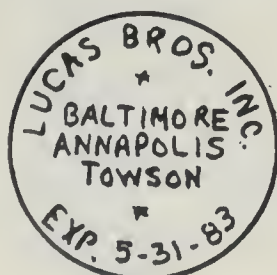
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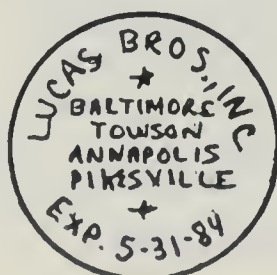
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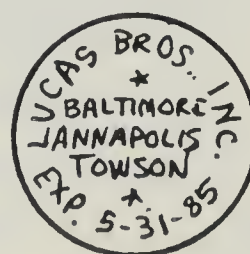
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FREDERICK BAUERNSCHMIDT

BY RUSS SEARS

FREDERICK BAUERNSCHMIDT WAS BORN ON JANUARY 10, 1864. HE WAS ONE OF THE SEVEN CHILDREN BORN TO BALTIMORE BREWER GEORGE BAUERNSCHMIDT AND HIS WIFE MARGARETHA.

WHEN FRED'S FATHER INCORPORATED THE GEORGE BAUERNSCHMIDT BREWING COMPANY IN 1883, FREDERICK WAS MADE THE TREASURER. THE BREWERY WAS A FAMILY BUSINESS, WITH SHARES IN THE CORPORATION HELD BY THE FATHER AS WELL AS BY SONS FREDERICK, WILLIAM, AND JOHN. FRED AND HIS BROTHER WILLIAM WERE AGAINST SELLING THE BUSINESS TO A BEER TRUST WHICH INTENDED TO MONOPOLIZE THE BEER INDUSTRY IN BALTIMORE. BUT, THE MAJORITY OF THE STOCK WAS HELD BY THEIR FATHER. AND THE SALE WAS SUPPORTED BY FRED'S BROTHER, JOHN. FRED WAS 34 YEARS OLD WHEN THE FAMILY BREWERY WAS SOLD TO THE MARYLAND BREWING COMPANY IN 1893.

JOHN BAUERNSCHMIDT BECAME PRESIDENT OF THE MARYLAND BREWING COMPANY. FREDERICK, WITH HIS OWN FUNDS AND \$150,000 BORROWED FROM HIS BROTHER WILLIAM, BEGAN CONSTRUCTION OF THE AMERICAN BREWERY IN 1893. HE BOASTED THAT HIS BREWERY WAS "INDEPENDENT OF ALL TRUST". FRED HAD A BURNING PASSION AGAINST THE BEER TRUST AND THE COMPANY SUCCEEDING THE TRUST, THE GOTTLEIB-BAUERNSCHMIDT-STRAUS BREWING COMPANY. HIS BROTHER JOHN WAS AN EMPLOYEE OF THE G-B-S BREWING COMPANY BUT LEFT IT TO JOIN FRED AT AMERICAN IN 1911, SHORTLY AFTER WILLIAM LEFT THE AMERICAN BREWERY. WHILE WILLIAM HAD LOANED FRED MONEY TO BEGIN THE BUSINESS, AND PARTICIPATED IN THE OPERATIONS OF THE BUSINESS, SOLE OWNERSHIP WAS HELD BY FRED.

THE FIRST BEER OF THE AMERICAN BREWERY WAS BREWED ON JANUARY 27, 1900. WITH A SOLID BACKGROUND IN BREWING AND IN FINANCE, FRED BAUERNSCHMIDT PROVED TO BE A GOOD MANAGER AND HIS BUSINESS GREW QUICKLY. BUSINESS WAS SO GOOD THAT IN 1913 AN ENGLISH SYNDICATED OFFERED HIM \$3,000,000 FOR HIS COMPANY. HE TURNED DOWN THE OFFER AND CONTINUED TO RUN WHAT WAS CONSIDERED THE BEST RUN BREWERY IN THE CITY. IT IS INTERESTING TO NOTE THAT THE THREE MILLION DOLLARS FIGURE OFFERED FOR AMERICAN BREWERY WAS THE PRICE OF THE GEORGE



(Label)

AMERICAN BREWERY

BAUERNSCHMIDT BREWING COMPANY WHEN IT WAS SOLD TO THE MARYLAND BREWING COMPANY. AT THE TIME OF PROHIBITION, THE AMERICAN BREWERY WAS BREWING 350,000 BARRELS OF BEER PER YEAR, AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO THE COMBINED PRODUCTION OF ALL OTHER BREWERIES IN BALTIMORE. PROHIBITION FORCED FREDERICK BAUERNSCHMIDT INTO AN EARLY RETIREMENT AT AGE 50.



FREDERICK BAUERNSCHMIDT

AGNES WEHR BECAME THE WIFE OF FRED BAUERNSCHMIDT ON JANUARY 30, 1935. THEY LIVED AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS AROUND BALTIMORE INCLUDING EAST NORTH AVENUE (NEXT TO HIS PARENTS), EUTAW PLACE, GREENWAY, AND THE CORNER OF HARFORD ROAD AND ERDMAN AVENUE. THEIR COUNTRY PLACE ON THE WATER IN MIDDLE RIVER WAS A FAVORITE PLACE TO GO. THE AREA WHERE HIS PROPERTY WAS LOCATED IS STILL REFERRED TO AS BAUERNSCHMIDT MANOR.

MANY TRUSTS WERE SET UP BY FRED BAUERNSCHMIDT FOR VARIOUS HOSPITALS AROUND BALTIMORE INCLUDING UNION MEMORIAL HOSPITAL WHICH STILL HAS THE FREDERICK BAUERNSCHMIDT MEMORIAL BUILDING.

FREDERICK BAUERNSCHMIDT DIED ON MARCH 8, 1933. HE WAS A MAN WHO MADE HIS MARK IN HIS INDUSTRY FOR HIS INOVATIVE WAYS AND EQUIPMENT, AND WAS THE MAN WHO KEPT THE BEER TRUST FROM INFLATING THE PRICE OF BEER IN BALTIMORE. THE HOUSE HE BUILT AT THE CORNER OF HARFORD ROAD AND ERDMAN AVENUE IS STILL IN USE. EFFORTS ARE BEING MADE TO PRESERVE AMERICAN BREWERY'S BUILDING ON GAY STREET, BUT THERE IS NO CERTAINTY THAT IT WILL BE THERE FOR THE NEXT GENERATION.



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GEORGE BAUERNSCHMIDT



A 'token' savings of Caroline history

BY BILL MILLER

A PERSON DRIVING THROUGH CAROLINE COUNTY TODAY WILL SEE FIELD AFTER FIELD OF SOYBEANS AND CORN, BUT LITTLE EVIDENCE OF THE ONCE FLOURISHING TOMATO INDUSTRY THAT EMPLOYED SO MANY LOCAL PEOPLE AND PUT SO MUCH MONEY INTO THE LOCAL ECONOMY.

A LONG TIME HAS PASSED SINCE CAROLINE COUNTY WAS DESCRIBED AS A "TOMATO FIELD" WITH TOMATO CANNERIES RISING "LIKE MUSHROOMS". IN THE EARLY PART OF THIS CENTURY, THE EASTERN SHORE WAS DESCRIBED AS "THE GARDEN OF THE EAST AND THE CANNERY OF THE NATION." INDEED, THE IDEAL GROWING CONDITIONS AND CLOSE PROXIMITY TO MAJOR EASTERN CITIES MADE THE EASTERN SHORE THE LOGICAL PLACE FOR THE TOMATO CANNING INDUSTRY TO DEVELOP.

ONE MOMENTO OF THE "GOLDEN AGE" OF THE CANNING INDUSTRY IN CAROLINE COUNTY IS THE TOMATO PEELER'S CHECK. THESE CHECKS, OR TOKENS, WERE GIVEN TO THE WOMEN WHO PEELED THE BUCKETS OF SCALDED TOMATOES TO BE CANNED. AFTER PEELING A BUCKET OF SCALDED TOMATOES THE PEELER WOULD GET A METAL CHECK (USUALLY MADE OF BRASS OR ALUMINUM). USED BY CANNERIES FOR A PERIOD OF ALMOST SEVENTY YEARS, (1860-1950), THE CHECKS WERE WORTH ANYWHERE FROM 2 CENTS IN THE 1800'S TO 25 CENTS OR MORE IN THE 1950'S. EVENTUALLY THE F.D.A. FORCED CANNERIES TO DISCONTINUE THE USE OF PEELER CHECKS BECAUSE THEY WERE CONSIDERED UNSANITARY. TODAY, THEY POP UP AT COIN SHOPS, ANTIQUE SHOPS, AUCTIONS, AND YARD SALES AND ARE A GROWING COLLECTIBLE.

PERHAPS AS MANY AS 200 TYPES AND VARIETIES OF CANNERY CHECKS EXIST FROM CAROLINE COUNTY AND OVER 1,000 FROM THE EASTERN SHORE! COLLECTING ONE OF EACH TYPE CAN BE AN EXCITING (AS WELL AS FRUSTRATING) EXPERIENCE. A FEW OF THE LOCAL CHECKS ARE PICTURED.



TYPE I SHOWS JUST THE INITIALS OF THE CANNERY (H.A.R.). THESE WERE USED IN THE DENTON CANNERY OF HARRY A. ROE. AN ONE TIME STATE SENATOR AND THE GRANDFATHER OF OUR PRESENT GOVERNOR, HARRY ROE HUGHES. THE REVERSE OF THIS BRASS CHECK IS BLANK AND WAS PROBABLY USED IN THE 1920'S.



TYPE II SHOWS THE CANNERS' NAMES: HENRY T. NUTTLE AND HARRY H. NUTTLE. THIS FATHER AND SON TEAM OWNED AND OPERATED A CANNERY TOGETHER IN ANDERSONTOWN. THE CHECK IS ALUMINUM AND SHOW "1 BKT" (ONE BUCKET OF TOMATOES) ON THE REVERSE.



TYPE III SHOWS THE NAME OF THE CANNERY COMPANY, THE HOBBS MANUFACTURING COMPANY. THE CHECK IS ALUMINUM AND SHOWS "PEELER'S CHECK" ON THE REVERSE. IT WAS USED IN HOBBS IN THE 1920'S AND 1930'S.

THE FINAL TYPE, TYPE IV, SHOWS BOTH THE CANNER'S NAME AS WELL AS THE TOWN IN WHICH THE FACTORY WAS LOCATED. THE SAULSBURY BROTHERS' BUSINESS IS STILL LOCATED IN RIDGELY, MD., BUT HAS NOT CANNED TOMATOES SINCE THE LATE 1930'S. THE REVERSE OF THIS CHECK SHOWS A "5" WHICH REFERS TO THE VALUE IN CENTS OF THE TOKEN. THE CHECKS WERE USED PRIOR TO 1933.

THERE ARE MANY OTHER TYPES OF CHECKS FROM CAROLINE COUNTY. THE AUTHOR IS INTERESTED IN CATALOGUING ANY AND ALL EXAMPLES THAT MAY BE FOUND. INTERESTED PARTIES MAY ADDRESS CORRESPONDENCE TO: WILLIAM T. MILLER, BOX 246, DENTON, MD., 21629 OR PHONE 479-1972.

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The Maryland Token And Medal Society deeply regrets the passing of one of its' Life Members, A. Vernon Taylor on December 24, 1985.

Vernon was part of the initial planning which led to the founding of MD TAMS and he was instrumental in formulating the Constitution and By-Laws by which the Society is governed today. He was the first Editor of the MD TAMS Journal, a position he held for four years. Through his efforts as Editor, the Journal became known as one of the finest exonomia publications available and, as a consequence, propelled MD TAMS into national prominence.

In addition to his life membership in MD TAMS, Mr. Taylor was active both locally and nationally in numismatic organizations. He held a Life Membership in the American Numismatic Association (ANA), was a member of the American Numismatic Society (ANS), Life Member of the Maryland State Numismatic Association (MSNA), and held memberships in the Baltimore Coin Club, Maryland Numismatic Society, Catonsville Coin Club, Check Collectors Roundtable, National Scrip Collectors Association and the Token And Medal Society.

His literary talents knew no bounds. In addition to his many contributions of articles to the MD TAMS Journal, he also had articles published by TAMS and was honored by that organization at the ANA Convention in Baltimore as the recipient of the bronze "Hishler Exonomia Catalog Award" for his book on the "Bonnie Blink Corn Husking Pennies", a series of Masonic tokens of Maryland. His article on the "Medallic Art Of Baltimore Sculptors Hans Schuler And Hans C. Schuler" appeared in the August issue of ANA's "The Numismatist" and was reprinted in booklet form.

One always willing to share his knowledge and collection with others, Vernon was an active exhibitor and traveled the speakers circuit to many of the coin clubs in Maryland.

His personal collecting passion was packing house and pickers checks, particularly of Anne Arundel County, his birthplace. He was working very closely with another TAMS member on a catalog of the Anne Arundel County checks at the time of his passing.

Mr. Taylor was a 37 year veteran of the Chesapeake And Potomac Telephone Company, as a manager for electro-mechanical maintenance engineering. He is survived by his wife Betty and three daughters.

The loss of a fellow collector as well as a very close friend is never easy to accept and even more difficult to comprehend. As my mentor, Vernon's counseling and consistent prodding helped me steer MD TAMS during my terms as president and also caused me to take pen in hand and become a contributor to the MD TAMS Journal. He was always readily available to discuss my problems and listen and we would philosophize at great lengths on Society business and our own collecting habits. At his insistence, I also became an exhibitor and through his photographic abilities, we collaborated on programs for tokens and medals which we gave to clubs throughout the state.

Vernon, may you rest in peace and we'll all miss you!!!

Bill Hajek



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The War of Albert's Head

THE STORY OF THE MARYLAND TERCENTENARY COMMISSION'S MEDAL

by

Greg D. Ruby MD TAMS LM-6

Let's go back in time for a while. The year is 1934. President Roosevelt has ordered all citizens to turn in their gold to the government. Max Baer became the boxing heavyweight champion by knocking out Primo Carnera in the 11th round. Bonnie and Clyde are gunned down in Louisiana, and John Dillinger is shot to death on a street in Chicago by FBI agents. Maryland is in the midst of celebrating its 300th birthday.

Needless to say, this was a very important event in the state. A special license plate was issued, as well as several calendars, brochures, and pamphlets. Congress authorized a commemorative half dollar and a Maryland Tercentenary Commission was formed by Governor Albert C. Ritchie. One local bakery even went so far as to bake a "Maryland Tercentenary Bread" and marketed it statewide.

The Maryland Tercentenary Commission was responsible for the rebuilding the State House in St. Mary's City and for the building of Hall of Records in Annapolis. Hans Schuler was commissioned by the Commission to sculpt a statue "Freedom of Conscience", which was placed in St. Mary's City.

The Commission then decided to issue a medal for the Tercentenary.

In the November 25, 1932 issue of the Baltimore Sun, it was announced that a sculptors' competition will be held between Hans Schuler and J. Maxwell Miller to decide the medal's design.

Late in 1933, Hans Schuler was commissioned to design the medal. The commission ordered that one side feature the landing of the colonists and the other side to feature a portrait of Governor Ritchie.

Sounds simple?? Well, it wasn't. You have to remember that politicians are involved.

Political opponents of Ritchie cried out. The Commission kept changing it's opinion of the medal's design. It seems as if at one meeting Ritchie's portrait was ordered on, and at the next meeting ordering the portrait off. This went on at least six

times. In early March, Governor Ritchie ordered that his image be removed. Gerald W. Johnson, in an article in the Baltimore Evening Sun for March 15th, dubbed this debate as "The War of Albert's Head." Finally, on April 9th, R. Bennett Darnall, head of the Commission, announced that Ritchie's portrait was on the medal "to stay on for keeps."

The medals went on sale May 17th for \$1.00 each in local Baltimore department stores.

This medal is a classic example of political meddling in the issuance of a medal.

DESCRIPTION OF THE MEDAL

OBVERSE: The head of the Governor of Maryland in 1934, Albert C. Ritchie, facing right; below is "ALBERT CABELL RITCHIE, GOVERNOR". Under this, the Maryland Shield between two scrolls bearing the dates "1634" and "1934". Surrounded in bold letters, three quarters around: "TERCENTENARY OF MARYLAND".

REVERSE: Governor in 1634, Leonard Calvert is shown in the foreground holding the instructions of the Second Lord Baltimore, Cecil Calvert. Behind and to the right of him is the first historian of the colony, Rev. Andrew White S.J., and Captain Thomas Cornwallis. To Governor Calvert's left, the colors are being presented, and an Indian is crouched. Depicted in the background is the ARK, one of the ships that the colonists sailed. In the exergue, "1634".

EDGE: Plain, stamped "MEDALLIC ART CO. N.Y."

SIZE: 57 millimeters in diameter: 3 millimeters thick

METAL: Bronze



PHOTOS BY RUSS SEARS

A FEW LAST NOTES

Correspondence with the Medallic Art Company has proven futile as to the mintage figures. The dies still exist for this medal. I have seen one of the medals with a silver wash. Was this a presentation piece or what? I would appreciate hearing from anyone who might be able to shed light on this. Again, correspondence with the Medallic Art Company has proven futile.

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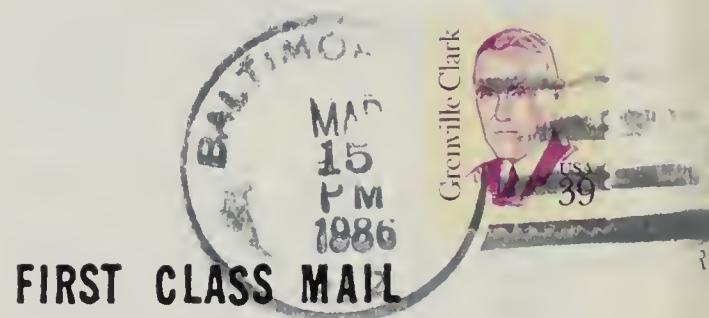
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